

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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First-Named Inventor: David W. Burke  
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Examiner: Alexander Stephan Noguerola  
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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ANALYTE MEASUREMENT  
USING DOSE SUFFICIENCY ELECTRODES

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116(b)(1)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Commissioner:

In response to the Final Office Action dated April 4, 2008, please enter the following amendments. It is believed that no fees are due, but if additional fees are deemed to be due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 23-3030, but not to include the payment of any issue fee.